

Claim No. 92
 Under Article 11. Treaty of 14th June 1866.
 with Creek Indians.

The undersigned, Hector Payman, a
 Indian of the Creek Nation, aged 50, & married,
 a loyal refugee, being duly examined and sworn, (he
 understanding and conversing in the English language.)
 deposes and says: Whilst living with his family, on his
 place at Post Oak, Creek Nation and sometime in Nov^r.
 1862, he was driven therefrom by the rebels under Col. W. C.
 Intosh, and fled in the night time with his wife and
 children, and succeeded in getting into Kansas, where
 that at the time of his flight from home, as stated, he
 owned and possessed, and did necessarily, abandon to
 the rebels and lost all the property hereinafter named,
 and has never since recovered the same, or any part
 thereof, today:

3.	Three Horses	at $\frac{2}{3}$ each, at \$170.	\$ 230.00
1.	One Yoke of Steers	at.	100.00
1.	One Cow	"	12.00
65	Sixty five Hogs	at \$5. each	325.00
20.	Twenty Bush. Potatoes	\$20. 2 Bush. Beets	\$10. 30.00
Set.	House furniture, &c		145.00
Set.	Kitchen furniture, &c		40.00
Set.	Farming Tools, &c		45.00
	making a total value of		\$ 927.00
	Mine hundred and twenty seven dollars.		

Another independent author.

Melchor Perrymann,

his
mark

Mechin Penymaw,
Subscribed & Signed before me at the Creek in
Geny. On the 10th of November, A.D. 1869.

The undersigned Troy Perryman (not
related to Claimant David Sam Melford, Freedmen of
the Creek Nation, & loyal refugees, being jointly, duly
examined and sworn, (they understanding and conversing
in the English language,) do depose and say. They are not
interested in the claim of Hectis Perryman, many because,
named whatever: That they have heard the foregoing affidavit
read to them, and know its contents to be correct and true.-

and These deponents further say that they know, of their own knowledge, the claimant did, at the time of his flight from home, as stated, own and possess, and did necessarily, abandon to the rebels, and lose all the property mentioned in his deposition. Further these deponents do not say.

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Sam. Melford.

his
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mark.
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mark

Saw, Melford,
Subcribed to you to before me, at the Greek
Agency. On the 10th of November, A.D. 1869.

W. D. Cookman
1000. At my. Past. Best. No. 2000
Southern Sheldrake

Award.

The loss of property specified above is deemed established by the foregoing testimony: Also, the status of claimant: - The amount claimed, however, is, in some instances, considered excessive: When inquiring, it is found, the values of the different kinds of property, at the time the loss occurred, ruled as follows: -

Horses:-	\$ 25.00 each.
Steers - Yokes of.	30.00 ..
Cows,	8.00 ..
Stage,-	2.00 ..
Potatoes - per bushel.	.50 ..
Bee-hives:-	2.00 ..

and for the following, one-half the claimed value: -

House-furniture, &c.	\$ 72.50
Kitchen-furniture, &c.,	20.00
Farming Tools, &c.,	22.50

In consideration of these, and all other facts, attainable, bearing upon the case, we believe it just and equitable to award this claimant Hector Penryman Three hundred and seventy five dollars.

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J. B. W. M.

Pro. Maj. Gen. U. S. A. - Subt. 2nd. Adj. Dr. Subpt. 2.

F. A. Field
Capt. U. S. A. Greek Agent.